

MPU Student Newsletter

Introducing the MPSC

We have recently formed the Medical Physics Student Council (MPSC) to officially represent MPU students and serve as a means of communication between MPU faculty and students. In particular, we aim to facilitate the organization of MPU student events and workshops, strengthen our relationship with other student organizations, and ensure the MPU website stays up to date. We aim to publish this short newsletter monthly to keep the department up to date on student events and announcements.

International Day of Medical Physics

The MPU is celebrating the International Day of Medical Physics on Nov 7th from 1:30-5:30pm in room DS1.7141. There will be posters, electronic displays, and short talks throughout the afternoon. The formal program will begin at 4:30 pm. Appetizers, cake and refreshments will be served. Dress code is business casual and students are expected to attend. Students with posters and displays are reminded to come set up at 1:00 pm.

MGAPS cocktail party

The annual MGAPS cocktail party (co-hosted by MPSC) is on Nov. 17 from 9 pm - 1 am at Thomson House. Advance tickets are \$15 and can be purchased through the Facebook event page at <https://www.facebook.com/events/351645201837632/>

Website updates

Our annual update of the website is ongoing. If you have not already done so, please fill out the Google doc forms to keep your personal page up to date! Student information can be updated at https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1N-PWGBYJVU27gsGQOZNuW4vaueH03BrjBtWxnZEe_8o/edit?usp=sharing and a modification request can be

made at https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1o5Q89zDTIwuwpRLr5HKCQJLifo7_6QgdPa282KcH-uE/edit?usp=sharing

MPSC social media photo consent

We are reviving the student run Twitter and Facebook groups and plan on posting pictures from student events. Please let Ali (allison.toltz@mail.mcgill.ca) know if you do not consent to us using your picture, or if you would like to see content you are a part of prior to posting.

AQPMC news

The annual AQPMC student day will be held on Friday, December 2nd in Sherbrooke. The abstract deadline is Nov. 6th. More information can be found at aqpmc.org.

GitLab

We now have a McGill Medical Physics code repository. Everyone is encouraged to sign up for an account at www.gitlab.com and send their username to Marc (marc-andre.renaud@mail.mcgill.ca) to be added to the group. Marc will give a lesson on how to use Git and how to interact with GitLab during journal club on November 24th at 11:30 am in room DS1.5034.